(ii) after rule 1, the following rules shall be inserted, namely :—

" 1-A. (1) The composition fee referred to in section 4 shall, in relation to any period after the 30th June 1962, be calculated for the entire unexpired period of the currency of the permit or for a period of three months, whichever is less, at the rate—

(*a*) in the case of a stage carriage, of forty-eight naye Paise per seat per year per kilometre, of the total distance permitted to be covered by such stage carriage in a day or at the option of the operator, of twenty-five rupees per seat per quarter; and

(*b*) in the case of a public carrier vehicle, of thirty-seven rupees fifty naye Paise per month.

Explanation I.—Where a stage carriage is permitted to carry standing passengers, one-third of the fee per seat referred to in clause (*a*) of sub-rule (1) of rule 1 shall also be payable in respect of each of the standing passengers aforesaid as if seating accommodation had been provided for them.

Explanation II.—Where is pursuance of any agreement between the Government of Madras and the Government of any other State, composition fee in respect of any stage carriage plying on a route lying partly in the State of Madras and partly in the other State is payable to the Government of Madras, composition fee in respect of such vehicle shall be calculated on the total distance covered by the stage carriage in such route.

(2) The amount of the composition fee calculated with reference to clause (*a*) or clause (*b*) of sub-rule (1) shall be payable at the option of the operator either quarterly or in three equal monthly instalments.

1-B. Subject to such conditions as may be prescribed, the Government may, in respect of any specified class of vehicles, by notification, make a reduction in the rate of composition fee payable under rule 1-A. "

I certify that this is a Money Bill.

S. CHELLAPANDIAN,
Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly.

Fort St. George, Madras,
30th July 1962.

APPENDIX VI.

[Vide item VI (3) on page 526.]

L.A. Bill No. 7 of 1962

(As passed by the Assembly.)

A bill further to amend the Madras Plantations-Agricultural Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1958 and the Madras Agricultural Income-tax (Extension to Added Territory Act, 1961).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Madras in the Thirteenth Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. *Short title and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Madras Agricultural Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1962.

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(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the 1st April 1962.

2. *Amendment of section* 34, *Madras Act XXIX of* 1958.—In section 34 of the Madras Plantations Agricultural Income-tax (Amendment) Act, 1958 (Madras Act XXIX of 1958),—

(i) in the heading, for the figures and word " 1959–60 and 1960–61 ", the figures and word " 1959–60, 1960–61 and 1961–62 " shall be substituted;

(ii) in sub-section (1), after the words, figures and letters " or on the 31st day of March 1961 ", the words, figures and letters " or on the 31st day of March 1962 " shall be inserted.

3. *Amendment of section* 14, *Madras Act* 11 *of* 1961.—In section 14 of the Madras Agricultural Income-tax (Extension to Added Territory) Act, 1961 (Madras Act 11 of 1961),—

(i) in the heading, for the words and figures " the year 1960–61 ", the words and figures " the years 1960–61 and 1961–62 " shall be substituted;

(ii) in sub-section (1), after the words, figures and letters " on the 31st day of March 1961 ", the words, figures and letters " or on the 31st day of March 1962 " shall be inserted.

I certify that this is a Money Bill.

S. CHELLAPANDIAN,
Speaker, Madras Legislative Assembly.

Fort St. George, Madras,
27th July 1962.

APPENDIX VII.

[Vide item VI (4) on page 528.]

L.A. Bill No. 8 of 1962.

(As passed by the Assembly.)

A Bill to increase the stamp duties chargeable on certain instruments under the Indian Stamp Act, 1899, *as in force in the State of Madras.*

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Madras in the Thirteenth Year of the Republic of India as follows :—

1. *Short title, extent and commencement.*—(1) This Act may be called the Madras Stamp (Increase of Duties) Act, 1962.

(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Madras.

(3) It shall come into force on such date as the State Government may, by notification, appoint.